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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

ORIGINAL DATE 2/13/2007

SPONSOR Duran LAST UPDATED _____ HB _____

SHORT TITLE Otero County School Band Uniforms SB 587

ANALYST Aguilar

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY07	FY08		
	\$95.3	Nonrecurring	General Fund

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Relates to appropriations in the General Appropriation Act

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From

Public Education Department (PED)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

Senate Bill 587 appropriates \$95.3 thousand from the general fund to the Public Education Department for band uniforms for the Alamogordo public schools in Otero county.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The appropriation of \$95.3 thousand contained in this bill is a recurring expense to the general fund. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2008 shall revert to the general fund.

The LFC remains concerned with funding initiatives outside of the funding formula as it tends to disequalize school funding and diverts funding away from core educational needs.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

Appropriations contained in the General Appropriations Act for the State Equalization Guarantee contains funding for operational costs for schools including equipment.

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